

YEAR IN REVIEW

BOARD BUSINESS

August 2007 Board Meeting

The J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board held its quarterly meeting at the University of California, Berkeley in August 2007. The University hosted a reception for Fulbright grantees, which was attended by many distinguished Fulbright alumni, including Dr. Charles H. Townes, professor emeritus at Berkeley. Dr. Townes was a Fulbright Scholar in France and Japan in 1955-1956 and in Europe in 1972. He won a Nobel Prize in 1964 in Physics. During the Board's formal sessions, members met with the University's Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost Dr. George Breslauer. Sessions included four panel discussions with several groups, including Fulbright administrators, Fulbright Scholars, Fulbright Students, and a panel of Berkeley scholars engaged in research. Dr. Sonjia Redmond, the President of the Northern California Chapter of the Fulbright (Alumni) Association made a presentation to the Board as well. Meeting discussions focused on outreach to diversify the program and increase the applicant pool, how to enhance the 'multiplier' effect of grants, and ways in which the perceptions of grantees had been changed by their experiences in their host countries.



From left to right: then-FSB Deputy Director Lesley Moore Vossen; then-FSB member Thomas E. Corts; Fulbright Visiting Student panelists Asaf Darash from Israel, Lynette Chua from Malaysia, Ivan Lopez Castro from Chile, Renee Morhe from Ghana, Maria Kyranou from Greece, and Tiago Alves from Portugal.



Fulbright alumna Joy Williams performs at the opening reception of the Fulbright Association's 30th Anniversary.



November 2007 Board Meeting

The J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board (FSB) held its quarterly meeting in November 2007 in Washington, DC. Members of the Board attended the opening event of the Fulbright Association annual conference, hosted at the residence of the Colombian Ambassador to the United States Carolina Barco Isakson. The Association was observing its 30th anniversary. Fulbright alumna Joy Williams, who received a Master's degree in anthropology and dance from Wheaton College, performed. In 2005, she was awarded a U.S. Student Fulbright fellowship to Colombia, where she continued studies in anthropology. The FSB members met many U.S. alumni and others associated with the Fulbright Program.

As part of its business meeting, in addition to hearing Fulbright reports on the Western Hemisphere, Africa and the Middle East, the Board welcomed Dr. Sabine O'Hara, who had been appointed Executive Director of the Council for International Exchange of Scholars (CIES) earlier in the year.

Election of Officers

At the November 2007 quarterly Board meeting, Ms. Shirley M. Green was elected Chair and Mr. Yousif B. Ghafari was elected Vice Chair. Ms. Green commended her predecessor, Steven J. Uhlfelder, for his many contributions to the Board, noting how active he had been and how important innovations were made under his leadership.

Clockwise from left: John Butler (Board Member), John W. Johnson (Board Member), Mary Wong (Deputy Director), Pat Schaefer (Executive Director), Shirley M. Green (then-Vice Chair), Jan O'Neill (Board Member), Kathryn Hubbard (Board Member), Yousif Ghafari (Board Member), Jean Becker (Board Member). Facing the Members are Rosalind Swenson (Director of Academic Exchange Programs) and Matt McMahon (Deputy Director of Academic Exchange Programs).

February 2008 Board Meeting

U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission 50th Anniversary

The highlight of the February 2008 Fulbright Board meeting for members was their participation in several celebratory events observing the 50th Anniversary of the U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission. FSB Chair Shirley M. Green offered remarks at a Fulbright anniversary concert in Dallas, Texas on February 8 before traveling to Washington, DC for the Board meeting and other anniversary observances. A repeat concert performance took place at Washington's National Gallery of Art on February 10. The two concerts were conducted by U.S. Fulbright Scholar alumnus Grover Wilkins of the Orchestra of New Spain of Dallas, Texas; his Fulbright awards were to Spain and France. At both events, a warm welcome was extended by the Executive Director of the U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission, María Jesús Pablos. On Monday, February 10, Spanish Ambassador Carlos Westendorp hosted a reception honoring the anniversary at his official residence. U.S. Ambassador to Spain Eduardo Aguirre and Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs Thomas A. Farrell attended as did members of the Fulbright Board. The Board's business meeting took place on February 12, after which members attended an official reception hosted by the Department of State honoring the U.S.-Spain Fulbright golden anniversary. The event

took place in the Department's distinguished diplomatic reception rooms. Deputy Assistant Secretary Farrell welcomed the guests on behalf of the Department of State and gave a tribute to the binational program with Spain and the many people who were responsible for its success over the past five decades. He extended special thanks to Executive Director María Jesús Pablos and acknowledged the presence of FSB Chair Shirley M. Green, Vice Chair Yousif B. Ghafari, and members. Other speakers included the Spanish Deputy Chief of Mission Jose Pascual Marco Martinez, who offered remarks on behalf of Ambassador Westendorp.

The business portion of the FSB meeting focused upon the 2008 Fulbright Student Enrichment Seminars that were imminent. The FSB also welcomed a panel of five current and alumni Fulbright Student Program participants from various regions and in different subject fields. Their stories and experiences were inspiring and provided members with useful insights and advice for which they expressed their appreciation.



Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs Thomas A. Farrell welcomes guests and offers remarks at the U.S. Department of State official reception honoring the U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission's golden anniversary, as Spanish Deputy Chief of Mission Jose Pascual Marco Martinez looks on.



From left to right: Executive Director of the Spanish Fulbright Commission María Jesús Pablos; Music Director of the Orchestra of New Spain and Senior Research Scholar to Spain in 1995 Grover Wilkins; FSB Chair Shirley M. Green and Consul General of Spain Miguel de Mazarambroz in Dallas, Texas.

Board Member Appointments



Yousif B. Ghafari (left) is sworn in by Under Secretary for Management Patrick F. Kennedy at a ceremony in the Treaty Room of the U.S. Department of State. The Ambassador's wife, Mara Kalnins-Ghafari, stands at his side.

The Board welcomed two new members in the Spring of 2008, James L. Oblinger, Chancellor, North Carolina State University, and Dina Habib Powell, Managing Director and Global Head of the Office of Corporate Engagement, Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Former FSB Vice Chair Yousif B. Ghafari was sworn in as U.S. Ambassador to Slovenia on May 15, 2008, by Under Secretary for Management Patrick F. Kennedy at a ceremony in the Treaty Room of the U.S. Department of State. Ambassador Ghafari served on the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board from 2005 until his confirmation as Ambassador.

Dr. Thomas E. Corts resigned from the Board upon his appointment as International Education Coordinator for the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) in September 2007. He was appointed to the FSB by President George W. Bush in 2005.

BOARD TRAVEL

Fulbright Near East Regional Workshop Held In Cairo

In March 2008, FSB Chair Shirley M. Green and the Board's Executive Director Pat Kern Schaefer participated in the Near East Fulbright Regional Workshop, hosted by the Binational Fulbright Commission in Egypt and the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA). The meeting took place in Cairo, Egypt. Participants included Fulbright Commission Executive Directors, government officials from Washington and public diplomacy staff at embassies and consulates in the Near East region, as well as representatives from cooperating agencies. The FSB Chair was a featured speaker at the opening reception. She offered greetings on behalf of the Board and thanked the U.S.-Egypt Fulbright Commission Executive Director Bruce A. Lohof for arranging the meeting. She commended the theme of the workshop, which reflected the priorities of the FSB, including promoting quality in higher education and increasing diversity and access in the Fulbright Program. She encouraged the conference participants to reach out to new audiences in carrying out the mission of the Fulbright Program as envisioned by Senator Fulbright.



Participants in the Near East Fulbright Regional Workshop included Fulbright Commission Executive Directors, government officials from Washington and public diplomacy staff at embassies and consulates in the Near East region, as well as representatives from cooperating agencies. The FSB Chair (front row, center) was a featured speaker at the opening reception.

27th Conference of Fulbright Executive Directors from Europe Held in Greece

FSB Chair Shirley M. Green and the Board's Executive Director Pat Kern Schaefer participated in the 27th Conference of Fulbright Executive Directors from Europe in Athens. It was hosted by the U.S. Educational Foundation in Greece in April 2008. The conference took place during the 60th Anniversary of the Fulbright Foundation, which was established in 1948. Participants included Fulbright Commission Executive Directors from throughout Europe, government officials from Washington and public diplomacy staff at embassies and consulates in the European region, as well as representatives from cooperating agencies. Current Fulbrighters and alumni also attended several events. The FSB Chair was the opening dinner speaker. She thanked the Executive Director of the Fulbright Foundation in Greece, Artemis Zenetou, for arranging such a fine meeting. The Chair commended Executive Director Margaret Nicholson from the U.S.-Belgium and Luxembourg Fulbright Commission along with her Executive Committee for planning the conference program. Ms. Green noted the conference theme of "Educational Exchanges in a Global Environment: Innovation and Sustainability for the Fulbright Program." She commended forward-thinking sessions on the agenda, such as "Keeping Fulbright Unique and Relevant." Speakers at the opening plenary included Mr. Barry Levin, Counselor for Public Affairs of the U.S. Embassy in Greece and Chairman

of the Fulbright Foundation Board of Directors, as well as Ambassador Dimitrios Tsikouris of the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs, also a member of the Board of Directors. Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs Thomas A. Farrell addressed the conference on the opening day at a panel entitled "Dialogue with Washington: Priorities and Initiatives." Damaris A. Kirchhofer, Chief of the Europe and Eurasia Branch of the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Office of Academic Exchanges, was also on this panel. The conference keynote speaker was James B. Milliken, President of the University of Nebraska, whose topic was "Higher Education in the United States." Spyros Amourgis, President of the Hellenic Quality Assurance Agency, addressed the conference on "Challenges in Higher Education." A highlight of the meeting was a reception hosted by U.S. Ambassador Daniel V. Speckhard at his official residence.



Conference participants at the 27th Conference of Fulbright Executive Directors from Europe in Athens.



From left to right: Thomas A. Farrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs; Margaret Nicholson, Chair of the Conference Executive Committee and Executive Director of the U.S.-Belgium and Luxembourg Fulbright Commission; Shirley M. Green, FSB Chair; Artemis Zenetou, Executive Director of the Fulbright Foundation in Greece; James B. Milliken, President of the University of Nebraska; and Ambassador Dimitrios Tsikouris of the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Board Member Attends Biannual Meeting of Executive Directors from the Western Hemisphere



Participants at the biannual meeting of Executive Directors from the Western Hemisphere.

representatives from cooperating agencies. Dr. Corts joined the directors in a discussion about best practices related to staff management.

Then-FSB member Thomas E. Corts participated in the biannual meeting of the Fulbright Commission Executive Directors from the Western Hemisphere, which took place in São Paulo, Brazil in August 2007, in conjunction with the 50th anniversary of the Fulbright Program in that country. Participants included Fulbright Commission Executive Directors, Department of State officials from Washington and public diplomacy staff at embassies and consulates in the Western Hemisphere region, as well as

Board Member Hosts Fulbright Reception

In November 2007, J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board Member and President of the University of Minnesota (UMN) Dr. Robert H. Bruininks hosted a reception on his campus for current Fulbrighters and Fulbright alumni. More than 125 people attended. Speakers included Uma Krishnan, a Humphrey Fellow enrolled at UMN from India, and Robert Strand, who was a Fulbright Student from UMN to Norway in 2005-2006. In addressing the audience, Dr. Bruininks spoke of the vital importance of the Fulbright Program to the nation and to higher education, particularly the University of Minnesota. He urged those in attendance to spread the word to others about the value of the Fulbright Program and of the benefits that they have experienced as a result of their participation. President Bruininks also mentioned 2007 Nobel Prize winner and Professor Emeritus Leonid Hurwicz, of the University of Minnesota's Economics Department; Professor Hurwicz was a Fulbright Visiting Professor to India in 1965. (See page 7.)



FSB Board Member and University of Minnesota President, Dr. Robert H. Bruininks (back row, sixth from left) with Humphrey Fellows and university staff at a reception for Fulbrighters at the university in November 2007.

Chair Attends New Century Scholars Plenary

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From left to right: FSB Chair Shirley M. Green with NCS Distinguished Leader Dr. D. Bruce Johnstone, at the New Century Scholars Symposium.

FSB Chair Shirley M. Green attended the closing symposium of the Fulbright New Century Scholars (NCS) Program, which was held in March 2008 at the National Press Club in Washington, DC. The purpose of the NCS Program is to bring together a group of about 30 international scholars who have outstanding expertise in an area of global interest and concern. The theme chosen for this group was "Issues of Access and Equity within Global Higher Education in the 21st Century." The Scholars conducted collaborative and individual research over 14 months to support this final symposium. The results of the program were designed to serve as a source of information and guidance for policy makers, administrators and practitioners of higher education. Presentations addressed a range of topics on the central theme, including access to higher education through innovative financial mechanisms, improving equity and access to higher education by reducing marginalization, and addressing cultural barriers.

Board Member Attends Fulbright Student Enrichment Seminar in San Antonio

FSB member Dr. John Butler spoke at the opening dinner of the San Antonio Fulbright Student Enrichment Seminar in March 2008. Participants spent one morning visiting local public high schools in San Antonio. The seminar was one of nine such enrichment programs organized in cities throughout the United States by the Institute of International Education (IIE) and hosted by the U.S. Department of State. Each seminar brought together approximately 150 Fulbright Visiting Students at various academic and research institutions throughout the United States. The focus of the 2008 Enrichment Seminars was on “Engaging the Electorate: The Dynamics of Politics and Participation,” which included a panel discussion on political participation and community involvement.

ANNIVERSARIES

U.S.-Philippines Fulbright Foundation Observes 60th Anniversary

The Philippine-American (Fulbright) Educational Foundation (PAEF) celebrated its 60th anniversary in Manila in 2008. Founded in 1948, PAEF is the longest continuously operating Fulbright commission in the world. The theme for the anniversary year was “Sixty Years: Ripples of the Fulbright Program in the Philippines.” The year of celebrations began with an anniversary day program reuniting Fulbright alumni on April 18. Many of these alumni went on after their Fulbright grants to become leaders in government, education, business, science, culture and the arts in the Philippines. Mr. Thomas A. Farrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs, delivered the keynote address. Mr. Paul Jones, Deputy Chief of Mission of the U.S. Embassy in Manila, and Mr. Franklin



From left to right: Mr. Thomas A. Farrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs; Dr. Reynaldo Vea, President and CEO of Mapua Institute of Technology; and Dr. Isagani Cruz, President of the Philippine Fulbright Scholars Association.



Mr. Thomas A. Farrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs (at far right), with Fulbright alumni from the Philippines.

Ebdalin, Undersecretary for the Philippines Department of Foreign Affairs, each gave remarks. Fulbright alumni Dr. Carolina Hernandez and

Dr. Edilberto de Jesus spoke in plenary sessions. Seven outstanding Fulbright alumni were recognized by their peers and received trophies from National Artist Napoleon Abueva, a Fulbright alumnus. Dr. Isagani Cruz, president of the Philippine Fulbright Scholars Association, wrote the lyrics of the 60th anniversary song that was performed by the Cultural Center of the Philippines Chorale. There was also a cultural exhibit of art works and publications of the Fulbright alumni. A reception with performances by Fulbrighters concluded the celebration.

U.S.-Brazil Fulbright Commission Celebrates 50 Years

In November 2007, the U.S.-Brazil Fulbright Commission celebrated its 50th anniversary with the opening of a photo exhibit in São Paulo highlighting common themes in U.S. and Brazilian history over the past half century. The exhibit, entitled *Impressões Visuais*, can be viewed at the Commission's web site <http://www.fulbright.org.br>. In addition to being on display in major Brazilian cities, the exhibit was shown in various locales within the United States, including Washington, DC. A major accomplishment during the Commission's 50th anniversary year was the successful negotiation of a new agreement between the United States and Brazil committing both partners to a renewed level of support for the Fulbright Program. The agreement was signed in May 2008 by U.S. Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs Goli Ameri and U.S. Ambassador Clifford Sobel along with their Brazilian counterparts. (See page 6.)

U.S.-Italy Fulbright Program Celebrates 60th Anniversary

The U.S.-Italy Fulbright Commission sponsored events in 2008 to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Fulbright Program in Italy. U.S. Ambassador Ronald P. Spogli hosted an opening celebratory reception at his official residence, Villa Taverna, in November 2007. Ambassador Spogli is a former member of the Fulbright Scholarship Board. In the anniversary year, two grants were established, one in contemporary arts for an Italian and one in entrepreneurship and technological transfer for a U.S. lecturer/researcher. To commemorate the 60th anniversary of both Fulbright and Finmeccanica (Italian industrial group in aerospace, defense and security), Fulbright Commission Executive Director Maria Grazia Quietì worked with the firm to establish a Fulbright-Finmeccanica award for Italian graduate students or researchers in scientific and technological fields. As part of the anniversary celebration, in April 2008, a conference on “Brain Drain or Brain Gain? The Case of Italy and the U.S.” was held at the American Studies Center. Speakers included: Fulbright alumni Giuliano Amato, Italian Minister of the Interior; Carlo Rubbia, Professor at the University of Pavia and Nobel Laureate in Physics; and Alessandro Ovi, Director of *Technology Review Italy*. Throughout 2008, a series of Face2Face video ‘web chats’ on “Discover Fulbright Programs” were co-sponsored by the Commission and the Embassy to reach out to university students in southern Italy.



From left to right: Rector Giovanni Puglisi, Director-General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Gherardo La Francesca, Professor Carlo Rubbia, Minister of Interior Giuliano Amato, U.S.-Italy Fulbright Commission Executive Director Maria Grazia Quietì and Technology Review Italy Director Alessandro Ovi.



From left to right: Isabella Lanciotti, Fulbright Educational Counselor, and Daniele Fiorentino, Professor of American History at the University of Macerata in Italy and Fulbright Visiting Student alumnus to the University of Kansas, describe the Fulbright Program via video web chat.

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Fulbright Program in Vietnam Celebrates 15th Anniversary

2007 marked the 15th anniversary of the Fulbright Program in Vietnam. To commemorate the occasion, an afternoon symposium and gala dinner as well as a certificate ceremony took place in Hue, central Vietnam. Over 100 Vietnamese and U.S. alumni of the program attended. In opening remarks, U.S. Ambassador to Vietnam Michael W. Michalak praised the Fulbright Program for “giving foreign scholars a broader understanding of the United States and enabling American scholars to expand their appreciation of other cultures and peoples.” In conjunction with the 15th anniversary, the Fulbright Program in Vietnam sponsored a photo contest in celebration of the variety of academic and cultural experiences enjoyed by both Vietnamese and American participants. The winning photos and honorable mentions were featured in a photo exhibit.



Ambassador Michael W. Michalak delivers opening remarks at the symposium commemorating the 15th anniversary of the Fulbright Program in Vietnam.



Attendees admire photos celebrating academic and cultural experiences enjoyed by both Vietnamese and American Fulbright alumni.

Fulbright Foundation in Norway Celebrates 60th Anniversary

The U.S.-Norway Fulbright Foundation kicked off its 60th anniversary with an announcement of the increase in funding by both the U.S. government and the Norwegian government in a ceremony at the Nobel Institute. U.S. Ambassador to Norway Benson K. Whitney, the Norwegian Minister for Research and Higher Education and the State Secretary, representing the Norwegian Minister of Foreign Affairs, all pledged ongoing support and new funding for the Fulbright Program in Norway. An additional \$500,000 from the two governments will add grantees and bring a new emphasis on the High North with research grants and undergraduate summer institutes. The announcement was part of a day-long pre-departure program for 41 new graduate students and scholars about to leave for the United States.



A Norwegian Fulbright grantee accepts his certificate from U.S. Ambassador to Norway Benson K. Whitney, the State Secretary and the Minister.



U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission Observes 50th Anniversary

The U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2008 with a series of commemorative events. In the United States, the anniversary events involved the FSB. (See page 12.)

From left to right: Dallas Mayor Tom Leppert, FSB Chair Shirley M. Green, Honorary Consul of Spain Janet Kafka, U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission Executive Director María Jesús Pablos, and Consul General of Spain Miguel de Mazarambroz at the U.S.-Spain Fulbright Commission's 50th anniversary concert in Dallas, Texas.

U.S.-Ireland Fulbright Commission Celebrates 50 Years of Fulbright

As part of the 50th anniversary celebration of the Fulbright Program in Ireland, the U.S.-Ireland Fulbright Commission hosted “Interchanges: Fulbright at 50 Concert,” on October 4, 2007 at St. Patrick’s Hall in Dublin Castle. *Interchanges* brought together the musical talents of seven Fulbright alumni in a program developed by another Fulbright alumna and musician, Professor Thérèse Fahy, President of the Irish Fulbright Alumni Association. The seven Fulbright alumni were Maria McGarry, Riona Ó Duinnín, Nicholas O’Halloran, Gerald Peregrine, Anne Phelan, Rachel Quinn and Peter Tuite. Remarks were made by Colleen Dube, Executive Director of the Fulbright Commission; Robert Faucher, Deputy Chief of Mission, U.S. Embassy Dublin; and Una Halligan, Chair of the Board of the Fulbright Commission.

From left to right: Rachel Quinn (piano), Riona Ó Duinnín (flute), and Gerald Peregrine (cello) perform at Dublin Castle in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Fulbright Program in Ireland.



U.S.-New Zealand Fulbright Foundation Celebrates 60th Anniversary



Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Thomas A. Farrell gives remarks at the Embassy of New Zealand.

The New Zealand-United States (Fulbright) Education Foundation celebrated its 60th anniversary with a range of anniversary activities in 2008. In June, a Fulbright Reunion and Gala dinner took place at the Embassy of New Zealand in Washington, DC. Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs Thomas A. Farrell and former Prime Minister of New Zealand Jim Bolger gave remarks. Fulbright Visiting Scholar Susana Lei'ataua gave a musical performance. Later in 2008, Fulbright New Zealand will host a conference on "Creative Partnerships" in association with the University of Auckland. A 60th anniversary publication of Fulbright alumni reminiscences was commissioned in commemoration of the anniversary.

Fulbright Foundation in Greece Celebrates 60th Anniversary

The U.S. Educational Foundation in Greece (Fulbright Foundation) celebrated its 60th anniversary in 2008. The Fulbright Foundation introduced the "Great Ideas" series in support of educational and cultural connections between Greece and the United States. Organized with the support of the Stavros Niarchos Foundation, the U.S. Embassy in Athens and the U.S. Consulate General in Thessaloniki, the goal of the "Great Ideas" series was to bring noted American experts and artists to Greece to perform and discuss current topics of interest to the Greek and American people. Speakers included: Dr. Ruth Faden, Executive Director of the Berman Institute of Bioethics at Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health; Dr. Glenn Lowry, Director of the Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) in New York City; and Dr. Richard C. Levin, President of Yale University.



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From left to right: Stavros Niarchos Foundation Chief Operating Officer Epaminondas Farmakis; U.S. Ambassador to Greece Daniel Speckhard; Mrs. Jane Levin; Yale University President Dr. Richard Levin; Greek Minister of Economy and Finance George Alogoskoufis; and Fulbright Foundation Executive Director Artemis Zenetou.

Moroccan-American Commission for Educational and Cultural Exchange Celebrates 25th Anniversary

The year 2007 marked the 25th anniversary of the Moroccan-American (Fulbright) Commission for Educational and Cultural Exchange (MACECE). This event was commemorated at a reception held in Rabat, Morocco, at the close of the annual Maghrebi Area Studies Symposium in March 2007. U.S. Ambassador Thomas T. Riley, several members of the Moroccan Ministry of Education, university presidents and Fulbright Program alumni attended.



From left to right: U.S. Ambassador Thomas T. Riley and Moroccan Commission Board member Dr. Mohammed Dahbi cut MACECE's 25th anniversary cake during the anniversary reception.